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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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UNITED STATES SMALL BUSINESS	:
ADMINISTRATION, as receiver for	:
COQUI CAPITAL PARTNERS, L.P.,	:
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Plaintiff,	:
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- against -	:
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COQUI CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC,	:
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Defendants.	:
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Civil Action No. 08-CV-0978 (LTS)
 ECF Case
 Related Case: No. 06-1564

**NOTICE OF JOINDER OF
 DEFENDANT MICHAEL
 GRISANTI IN DEFENDANTS'
 MOTION TO DISMISS THE
 AMENDED COMPLAINT AND
 COMPEL ARBITRATION**

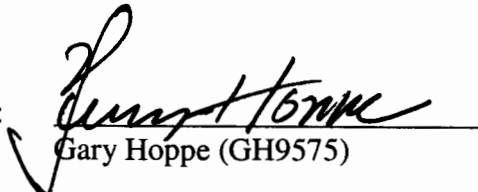
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that upon the annexed Declaration of Gary Hoppe dated April 25, 2008, the prior papers filed in support of the other appearing defendants Motion To Dismiss The Amended Complaint And Compel Arbitration dated March 31, 2008, and the prior pleadings and proceedings in this action, the undersigned counsel for defendant Michael Grisanti will join in moving this Court, before the Honorable Laura T. Swain, United States District Judge, at the United States Courthouse, 500 Pearl Street, Courtroom 17C, New York, New York 10007, on a date and time to be directed by the Court, for an order: (1) pursuant to Federal Arbitration Act, 9 U.S.C. Sec. 3, dismissing the Amended Complaint in its entirety, or, in the alternative, staying the above-captioned action pending arbitration; and (2) pursuant to Federal Arbitration Act, 9 U.S.C. Sec.4,

compelling plaintiff United States Small Business Administration, as Receiver for Coqui Capital Partners, L.P., to submit to arbitration in New York under the rules of the American Arbitration Association, together with such other and further relief as this Court deems just and proper.

Pursuant to Paragraph 2(B) of this Court's Individual Practices, the undersigned contacted counsel for plaintiff in a good faith effort to resolve informally the matters presented by the motion to dismiss the Amended Complaint and to compel arbitration, but were unable to so resolve those matters. Counsel for plaintiff has consented to defendant Michael Grisanti joining in the motion, as has counsel for the moving defendants.

Dated: New York, New York
April 25, 2008

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